

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

January 19, 2001

Merrill A. Cook Cook Associates, Inc. 631 16th Street Salt Lake City, Utah 84103

RE: MUR: 4621
Cook 2000 Re-election Committee
and Camille Cook, as treasurer, and
Merrill A. Cook and Cook Associates, Inc.

Dear Mr. Cook:

This is in response to your letter dated January 17, 2001, requesting an extension of 20 days until February 15, 2001 to respond to the Commission's reason to believe finding. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter and in consideration of your execution, as the designated representative of the respondents in the above-referenced matter, an agreement tolling the statute of limitations for any civil enforcement action that the Federal Election Commission might institute against them in connection with MUR 4621 for a period of twenty (20) days from the expiration date of the five-year statute of limitations found at 28 U.S.C. § 2462, or any other statute of limitations or repose that may be applicable, the Office of the General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on February 15, 2001.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1596.

Sincerely,

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